

# THE MOUNTAIN ADVOCATE.

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## PRISONERS TRY TO BURN JAIL.

**Fifteen Negroes Make  
Desperate Attempt  
to Escape at  
Pincville.**

**FAIL AFTER CAUSING PANIC**

A desperate attempt was made by fifteen negroes, confined on the lower floor in the county jail, last night to gain their liberty by setting fire to the jail, and only the prompt action on the part of Jailer, Rufus Wilson and his deputy, Dan Hoskins, frustrated the attempted jail delivery.

The negroes set fire to a mattress in which they had stored a quantity of tobacco, and succeeded in pushing it through the feed hole in the door onto the floor of the corridor.

The stairway to the upper floor of the jail goes up from the corridor and the dense smoke nearly all went upstairs, almost suffocating the prisoners confined on the second floor and creating a panic among them.

The jailers residence is not in the jail property, and the fire had burned some little time before the negroes gave the alarm. They yelled vociferously but the jail officials soon saw what was up and used their efforts in relieving and quieting the prisoners upstairs.

Several desperate prisoners are in the jail, among the number being the negro James White, who is under sentence of death for rape, and Thomas Jaggars, under life sentence for murder. Several of the other negroes are under penitentiary sentences ranging from two to five years. There are at present forty-five prisoners in the jail, seventeen of whom were convicted and given penitentiary sentences at this term of court.—The Bell County Leader.

## JOHN W. DEHART.

**To Lecture at the Court  
House Next Wednesday  
Night.**

**WILL DISCUSS  
TUBERCULOSIS**

Hon. John W. Dehart, of Louisville, will deliver a free lecture at the court house on next Wednesday evening, February 23, to which the public is most cordially invited to attend.

Mr. Dehart is an able speaker and will tell you many things worth your time to go out and hear him. He will discuss Tuberculosis, and its treatment and how to prevent it, as well as many other matters of very grave and vital interest to our people.

Come out and hear him, it will cost you nothing and you will be both entertained and interested. Remember the date Wednesday, Feb. 23, at Court House.

## DEATHS

Miss Mayme Tye, died at the family residence down the river last Sunday after a short illness, of consumption. Deceased was a sister to Dr. Tye, Mrs. J. R. Jones and Mrs. Jno. Parker, all of this city. The sympathy of the community goes out to the family.

Mrs. Houston Sutton, died Wednesday at Elys mines, after a short illness.

The deceased was a Miss Brantner and had been married only a few years.

## FIRES.

**Two in Town, and One Just  
Outside of the City  
Limits.**

Last Saturday night about 10:30 o'clock the livery barn of G. W. Tye was discovered to be on fire and the alarm was given and soon the water was turned on and the fire under control before any serious damage was done.

The fire started in the office, and it seems that sawdust in a box used as a cuspidor was where the fire started and was perhaps due to a cigarette stub or a match carelessly thrown down.

The floor was burned through and one joist considerably burned when discovered, and the fire had begun to blaze freely. Five minutes later discovering the fire would perhaps have been too late to save the building, but fortunately it was checked with but very little damage.

Wednesday morning about 10:30 o'clock the barn on the Lewis Lawson farm, on the London road just outside the city limits was discovered on fire and in a very short time was entirely consumed together with about 100 bushels of corn, a lot of hay and other feed, loss about \$750. This fire was beyond the reach of the fire department and no service could be rendered by them and the building was soon reduced to ashes.

## ANOTHER FIRE

Thursday morning about 1:30 o'clock, the alarm of fire aroused the aldermen of our citizens, and upon investigation it was learned that the home of James Golden, on Wall Street, was on fire.

The fire boys were on hand in a short while, and although the house was located almost one hundred yards from the nearest fire plug, yet a line of hose was soon laid and the water turned on.

The building is a single story, celled inside and covered, with tin, and the fire was between the ceiling and roof and thus making it almost impossible to reach.

The fire had gained such headway before the department arrived, that every one thought the entire building doomed, but after a half hour's heroic fighting, it was conquered and the building was saved, although badly damaged.

The loss will amount to perhaps \$800, which was partially covered by insurance.

The household goods were badly damaged by being torn from the house in such a hasty manner besides getting some badly water soaked.

The sympathy of the entire town goes out to this estimable family in their loss.

## DEATH OF WORTHY COLORED WOMAN

Aunt Mary Chambers, an old colored woman who has made her home with Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Westfield, for several years past died last Saturday morning, of pneumonia fever after a short illness, aged about 76 years.

"Aunt Mary" as everyone called her was well and favorable known by everybody in town, and her death came as a sadness to many of her white friends, as well as the colored people of the community.

The remains were interred in the Fighting Creek Cemetery.

## RECITAL

—AT—

## UNION COLLEGE.

The following program will be rendered in the chapel of Union College, Monday evening, February twenty-first, beginning at eight o'clock. There will be no charge, and the public is cordially invited:

Gavotte.....	Engenio Pirani
.....	Pearl A. Bastin.
.....	(First Piano)
Serenade.....	Erik Meyer-Helmund
Polly Willis.....	Dr. Arne
.....	Mary R. Wilson.
Spanish Serenata.....	Graham P. Moore
.....	Louise Cleland.
Mazurka Caprice.....	G. Bachmann
.....	Verna Noe.
Two Canons.....	Cherubini
.....	Sight Singing Class.
Intermezzo.....	H. W. Petrie
.....	Maggie Cawood.
Du bist die Ruh.....	Schubert-Liszt
.....	Norma B. Elliott.
Who is Sylvia?.....	Schubert
Parting.....	Idella Kincheloe.
Hunting Song.....	Mendelssohn.
Spinning Song.....	Ida Mae Cole.
.....	Tambourine Drill.

## MORE OFFICES NEEDED.

**Office Room in Demand and  
Many Without Accommodations.**

It is important that some one build a few more office rooms in our city as there is a great demand for office rooms. We have heard of several men here of late who were unable to secure offices for their business while others have been forced to move in with some of their friends until other arrangements can be made.

At least a half dozen office rooms could be rented before Saturday night to good tenants, if they were only to be had, but no one has them to rent and there is no kind of a room in town that could be used as an office that is vacant that we know of. Barbourville would last grow into a real city if we had some men here with enough nerve and money to back it up, and establish a few factories, even on a small scale until the business was established.

## LINCOLN DAY

**Fittingly Celebrated by our  
Citizens.**

Last Saturday afternoon John G. Eve Post, No. 221, assembled at the court house at one o'clock to honor the memory of the birth of Abraham Lincoln.

The day was so cold and disagreeable that but few of the veterans of the Civil war were able to get out, but those who were present seemed to enjoy the occasion very much.

Addresses were made by Judge F. D. Sampson, J. M. Gilbert, S. A. Smith and W. H. McDonald, all of whom made splendid talks.

Judge Rawlings adjourned court in order to give the Post an opportunity to properly celebrate the event.

The court room was neatly decorated with flags and bunting and just behind the Commander's desk hung a life size portrait of the immortal Lincoln.

## INSURANCE BILLS.

**Senate Bill No. 68—Hours Bill  
No. 45, Identical, and Allow  
Kentucky Life Companies  
to Buy Stock in Other  
Companies.**

**Senate Bill No. 23 Opposing Consolidation of Life Companies Well  
Numbered—"25 For 11."**

Three of the important bills pending before the Kentucky General Assembly are known as Senate Bill No. 68, House Bill No. 45 and Senate Bill No. 23. The first two are identical and were introduced concurrently. They allow Kentucky life insurance companies to acquire stock in other life companies. Their purpose is to enable domestic companies without discrimination between them, to get control by this method of the income and assets of companies domiciled outside of Kentucky and bring them into this State.

Under the law as it is now, life companies are authorized to "reinsure" other life companies by contract; that is, to assume their obligations and take over their incomes, assets and insurance in force, so that the bills (Senate No. 68 and House No. 45) merely provides another method of doing what the statute now permits by its reinsurance provisions. There is, therefore, no question of increase of power to life companies raised by the proposed legislation. All that is asked is a law providing an alternative method that will facilitate the doing of what the present law allows.

The purchased company would go on just as before, under its own charter, to carry out its own policy contracts. The only change will be one of the location of its income and assets. These will be brought into Kentucky.

There is in the South and West a large number of small life insurance companies whose assets and incomes, taken separately, are comparatively small, but, taken collectively, are immense. Many of these companies could be secured by the purchase of their stock. Their combined assets

and incomes, brought into our State, would increase largely the per capita amount of money in circulation among the people of Kentucky. To increase our money supply is to lower interest rates, which are subject to the law of supply and demand, as proved by the fact that in the East, where money is plentiful, interest rates are low, while in the West and South, where money is needed, the rate is high.

There are many public works to be undertaken or completed in Kentucky that require large expenditures. There are roads to be constructed, school buildings to be erected, other public structures to be provided. To raise the money needed, bonds will have to be issued. The more money there is in the State, the lower will be the interest rate on these bonds, and the greater the saving to the people in taxes. Such bonds are the preferred form of investment by life insurance companies and the greater the income and the assets of Kentucky life companies, the better it will be for the taxpayers of this State.

Moreover, they will benefit as taxpayers in another way. All the investments made by the Kentucky life companies, all their incomes and assets, will be subject to taxation in Kentucky, and as the volume of taxable property in the State grows, the tax rate ought to diminish and the amount of each individual's tax bills be reduced. The bills referred to, by permitting our home companies to acquire control of the income and assets of foreign companies by purchase of their stock, will prove a factor making for lower taxes and increased revenue.

Manifestly the upbuilding of great life insurance companies in Kentucky should be fostered. To this end, those now here should be allowed to consolidate, if they so desire, without harsh and unnecessary restrictions, and all Kentucky companies should be given every encouragement and inducement to acquire and bring into our State the vast assets and incomes of other companies.

All that has been said in favor of Senate Bill No. 68 and House Bill 45, may be repeated in opposition to Senate Bill No. 23, the object of which is to prohibit the consolidation of Kentucky life companies.

It is clearly in the public interest that life companies should be allowed to consolidate, if thereby, a company may be built strong enough to draw to itself the business that now goes out of Kentucky and amounts annually to over \$6,000,000. Still greater is the public interest in the formation of a company, not only strong enough to do this, but strong enough to draw to itself and Kentucky even a part of the more than \$62,000,000 annually paid in the South for life insurance, and with sufficient surplus to take over the incomes and assets of outside companies and invest them in our State. A Kentucky company, formed by consolidation, big enough to control the life insurances of the South alone, bring its equivalent in cash into Kentucky, and put this by investment into the channels of commerce, would be a Godsend to our people.

We have in Kentucky vast undeveloped resources. They are undeveloped because we have not in the State capital enough to develop them. If we had a plentiful money supply seeking investment, our mineral deposits would be brought out of their hiding places in the hills, furnish employment and sustenance for thousands of families and add to the comfort and prosperity of all of our people.

With abundant capital always comes business expansion, and business expansion is what we want in Kentucky. We need money to extend our commercial, industrial, mining and manufacturing interests. We need it for the improvement of our farms, for irrigating the arid and

fertilizing the exhausted soils, for planting orchards and vineyards and for moving our farm products to the markets. Whatever helps to provide this needed capital ought to have the cordial endorsement of our law-making body at Frankfort.

What we want is plenty of money at low interest rates, and the increase of business it will stimulate. That way lies prosperity for our people. Senate Bill No. 23 stands in its way. The General Assembly should remove it by defeating the bill.

Senate Bill No. 68 and House Bill No. 45 are aids to prosperity. The General Assembly should advance it by enacting these bills into law.

## MEANING OF CENSUS TERMS.

**The Bureau's Instruction  
Concerning a "Dwelling  
House" and a "Family."**

The official definitions of the terms "dwelling house" and "family," with reference to the population schedule to be carried by the enumerators in the Thirtieth United States Census, beginning April 15th next, are explained in the Census Bureau's lengthy printed instructions to the canvassers. It is pointed out that the answers should relate only to conditions existing on April 15th, the "Census Day."

The words "dwelling house" and "family" are, for census purposes, given a much wider application than they have in ordinary speech.

A "dwelling" is defined as a place in which, at the time of the census, one or more persons regularly sleep. It need not be a house in the common meaning of the word, but may be, for example, a room in a factory, store, or office building, a loft over a stable, a canal boat, a tent or a wigwam. The term also included a hotel, boarding or lodging house, a tenement or apartment house, an institution or school building, if persons regularly sleep there, as well as the ordinary dwelling house.

A "family," as a census term, may mean a group of individuals who occupy jointly a dwelling place or part of a dwelling place, or an individual living alone in any place of abode. All the occupants and employees of a hotel, if they regularly sleep there, make up a single family, because they occupy one dwelling place, and persons living alone in cabins, rooms, or tents; persons occupying a room or rooms in public buildings, stores, warehouses, factories, or stables; and persons sleeping on river boats, canal boats, barges, etc., if they have no other usual place of abode, are regarded as families.

The enumerators are required to enter on the schedule the name of every person whose usual place of abode on April 15, 1910, was with the family or in the dwelling place for which the enumeration is being made. The head of the family is to be entered first; then the wife; next the children, whether sons or daughters, in the order of their ages; and lastly, all other persons living with the family, whether relatives, boarders, lodgers, or servants. The head of the family, whether husband or father, widow or unmarried person of either sex, is to be designated by the word "head," and the other members of a family as wife, father, mother, son, daughter, grandson, daughter-in-law, uncle, aunt, niece, boarder, lodger, servant, etc., according to the particular relationship which the person bears to the head of the family.

**Ambition.**  
"My son, debts are  
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The Official Organ of the Republican Party in Knox County.

Our attention was recently called to a little lonesome sound coming from away down in Wayne county, after investigating the vibration, we found that it was trying to be an editorial, in a little dirty looking sheet calling itself, The Outlook. The Editor of this thing, seems to be greatly excited and to almost nervous prostration in trying to explain to the public, the reason that caused the patriotic, loyal and liberty loving citizens of the Eleventh Congressional District, to come out by the thousands and greet, with unbounded enthusiasm, Hon. Caleb Powers last fall when he was lecturing over this District. The Editor, of The Outlook, was evidently looking out through a smoked glass when he used the following statement: "Last fall when Mr. Powers went on a speaking tour over the District large crowds were attracted to him, on the same principal and for the same reason that large crowds attend the circus."

Every true republican in the Eleventh District will agree with us when we say that the above is an atrocious falsehood. Caleb Powers is no stranger to the people of this district, he was born and reared here with us, we knew him, he was not any show to us we voted for him, and elected him to the office of Secretary of State, and just such usurers as the Editor of The Outlook, robber him of his civil rights, and kept him in the Jails of this State for eight long years.

The liberty loving people of all political parties, in this Commonwealth, remember the patriotism of Washington, and the blood stained feet of the patriotic soldiers at Valley Forge, and the great sacrifice, and noble lives it cost to establish the right to vote and to have that votes counted as cast, became tired of seeing a young man who had led the people of this great State to victory, slowly but surely dying behind prison bars, charged with a crime of which he was absolutely innocent, put their heads and hearts together, regardless of party devotion, and elected Augustus E. Willson, Governor of Kentucky, by a majority of 18,032 votes. This was not done because Willson was the republican nominee, altogether, but because the people knew that Caleb Powers was innocent, with no chance to get a fair trial, and that Willson would perhaps give him his freedom. After Willson became Governor of Kentucky, thirty-thousand democrats signed a petition asking the freedom of Powers together with hundreds of thousands of Republicans. We never heard of but one republican refusing to sign a petition to pardon Powers and that was our own little Dominic C. Edwards, and the reason he did not sign it, he was afraid that he would not get his Congressional Education completed. We understand that he is in the primary grade yet, and stands no chance whatever for a promotion by the verdict of the people in the near future.

We will now drop back to the Editor of The Outlook for a short time and try and give him some information along the line of why the people came out in such multitudes to hear Caleb Powers the first place our hearts were running over with joy, because the hand of our good Governor, the noble in the

second place, we were filled with enthusiastic patriotism, because we had the unexpressable pleasure, of seeing and welcoming the worst abused man known to history, returning to the land and people that he loved. In the third place, we swarmed out to hear him because he is undoubtedly the silver tongued Orator of the Mountains of Kentucky, and is the peer of any man in this Commonwealth.

We do not know the present or past political affiliations of the Editor of The Outlook, except that we do know that he is not a republican in any sense, this ranting enemy of the Republican party is having bad dreams when he thinks that Caleb Powers will withdraw from the race, for congress, when the people of this District get an opportunity to go to the polls to vote and when the Editor of The Outlook hears the result he will not wonder longer why the people come out last fall by the tens of thousands to greet with enthusiastic applause, the next Congressman from the Eleventh District.

We have 19 counties in this District, with a population of from 200,000 to 250,000 people. We have more square miles than any other Congressional District in the United States, with its coal and timber and undeveloped wealth, it is the richest District in all Kentucky, why should a great district like this, continue to keep a man in Congress who is not able and qualified to represent the people, and who has not the ability and education to ever become qualified, to do justice, to a great district like the Eleventh of Kentucky. Let us send a man to Congress who is qualified and able to be heard on the door in our interest in Congress, a man who knows how to do things, a man who will reflect credit on our people, and by an honor to the district. This is an age of thrift, progress and education, and we should send a man to represent us who is able to grapple with the perplexing problems of this rushing age of development.

Hon. Caleb Powers will measure up to the standard fully, and the people of this district will do honor to themselves and credit to the district when they elect him which they are sure to do, as soon as they get a chance to vote.—The Bell County Leader.

The name of Judge O'Rear has again been mentioned in connection with the gubernatorial nomination, and it is given out that he will run and that Senator Bradley is for him. Well Senator Bradley is not the only one for him. There are more Democratic tobacco growers in Kentucky who would vote for O'Rear than any other man in the State.

We heard a good Democrat say only a short while ago, "There is nothing in politics any more and if O'Rear is nominated, I will vote for him." There are many others who feel the same way.

The Ripper Bill seems to be giving the Bolons at Frankfort a little trouble this week.

## LOOK THIS WAY.

Do you realize that we are starting now upon another new year of the existence of the Mountain Advocate, and your subscription is now due for another year, so drop in and let us mark you up on our books for subscription, paid for this year. Don't delay this matter, but come now and attend to it while it is on your mind.

## THE GUARD WAS ANGRY.

But the Pretty Girl Didn't Need His Protection.

Passengers on a subway car bound from Brooklyn to New York on Sunday afternoon had an experience that first caused frowns and then a laugh. The car was crowded with all the women had seats. On the platform was a middle aged man, apparently respectable. On a side seat was a girl in old coat, with cheeks to match.

The man on the platform caught her eye for a moment and threw a frantic kiss. The girl first smiled, then blushed furiously. He threw another, and she turned away a crimsoned face. "That will do for you," said the big, red-headed guard. "Go home to your wife."

This didn't seem to worry the apparently respectable man, at all, catching a glint from the girl's eyes, he threw another kiss. She turned her face to study carefully a pretty hat across the car.

At the Manhattan end of the bridge the girl rose to leave the car. The man who was trying to flirt with her now faced the sliding door, and at that time all eyes were on the pair, the guard was all at through, and a couple of passengers edged dangerously close.

The girl in old rose took the arm of the apparently respectable man and said in a silvery voice that all could hear: "Oh, papa, how could you?"

Then everybody laughed at a joking father and a lovely daughter.—New York Press.

## CONQUERED HER RIVAL.

Pretty and Pathetic Story of Jenny Lind and Gris.

Jenny Lind and Gris were both rivals for popular favor in London. Both were invited to sing the same night at a concert before the queen. Jenny Lind, being the younger, sang first and was so dispirited by the fierce, scornful look of Gris that she was at the point of failure when suddenly an inspiration came to her. The accompanist was striking the right chords. She asked him to rise and look the vacant seat. Her friends wandered over the keys in a loving pride, and then she sang a little piece which she had learned as a child. She hadn't sung it for years. As she sang she was no longer in the presence of royalty, but singing to loving friends, for her fatherly notes floated on the air, swelling louder and richer every moment. The singer seemed to throw her whole soul into that world, thrilling, plaintive "prayer." Gradually the song died away and ended in a sob. There was a silence, the silence of adoring wonder. The audience sat spellbound. Jenny Lind lifted her sweet eyes to look into the scornful face that had so disconcerted her. There was no force, no expression now. Instead a tear-dimmed gleam on the long, dark lashes, and after a moment, with the impulsive nobility of a child of the people, Gris crossed to Jenny Lind's side, placed her arm about her and kissed her, uttering regardless of the audience.

## Revised the Bill.

A young solicitor got a verdict for a client of considerable riches, but little beauty. Shortly afterward, in the course of business, he sent her a somewhat formidable account. On the following day his client called on him and asked him if he had been serious in his proposal.

"Proposed? But I have not proposed," replied the solicitor, somewhat abashed.

"What?" replied the fair client calmly. "You have asked for my fortune! I should have supposed you would at least have had the politeness to take me along with it."

"The next day she received a revised account as follows:

"Miss B., debtor to Mr. C. for legal business performed."

Then in place of "c. s. d." was "Total amount, Miss B.—London Telegraph.

## What She Imagined.

"Don't imagine," he said after she had refused him, "that I am going away to blow my brains out or drink myself to death."

"No," she replied, "I have no idea that you will do anything of that kind. You are going away to do some wonderful thing which will bring you wealth and fame and make you great at the rest of my life that I didn't believe you when you intimated that you were one of the greatest little men that had ever lived in the asphalt."

## All His Fortune.

One day during his marriage the Rev. Sydney Smith ran into the room where his father was, flung into his lap six small tin boxes which "from much wear had become the ghosts of their former selves" and said, "There, Kate, you lucky girl, I give you all my fortune." He gave her, however, what he did not mention, his fine character and great talent and in every way proved himself an excellent husband.

## MAKING A WINEGLASS.

It Takes Many Processes and the Work of Four Men.

The making of a wineglass is a fascinating sight to watch and a revelation to many. It requires the services of four men, and the processes are numerous. Inserting his hollow iron blowpipe into the mouth of one of the pots or crucibles, the blower collects sufficient "metal" to form the bowl of a wineglass.

This metal is a lump of hot, soft material and is, of course, molten glass. It is made from white sand, red lead, refined ash and salt-peter mixed in certain proportions, and then it has been resolved into molten glass, a workman known as a metal. The lump of material on the end of the pipe is rolled to and fro on a polished table to obtain the desired smoothness and evenness of surface.

After swinging the hot glass rapidly through the air for some moments the worker then blows down the pipe until the lump of soft material has expanded to the required size and shape, when he gauges it with his callipers to see that the dimensions are correct. It is now passed to a second man, who casts on sufficient metal to form the stem, while on to this again is added material for the foot. The processes now follow one another rapidly, the glass being passed from workman to workman and back again as each fulfills his particular task.

Over and over again the partially completed object is inserted into the furnace where there is a heat of 2,000 degrees, and held there for a few moments and then quickly withdrawn to be further treated. With a precision that only comes of long training, one man trims the bowl of the glass to the required size by cutting the superfluous material away with a pair of shears. The bowl then has to be opened out to the desired dimensions and measured to see that it is perfectly correct in size, when it is finally lifted by a boy from the workman's holder on the end of a forked stick, a finished article, and placed in the oven to be annealed.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

## Lamb Hissed His Own Foe.

Lamb's unfortunatous fate, "Mr. H." has one of the shortest theatrical runs on record, and it could not possibly have had a shorter theatrical life, since it was performed only once. Lamb, as everybody knows, "hissed and hooted as loudly as any of his neighbors."

Writing to Wordsworth the following day, he said: "A hundred hisses (the word I write like kisses—how different!)—a hundred hisses outweigh a thousand claps. The fortune of the moment is from the heart. Well, it's withdrawn and there is an end." But it is to be observed that he did not curse his audience, as your modern playwright would have done, for Lamb happened to be a sound and sane critic, his own work.—London Chronicle.

## All Over.

"No more will I hear his footsteps on yonder walk just as the clock strikes the hour of 8."

"Gracious, Jeanette!"

"And the old parlor light never burn low for him again."

"I do, and furthermore, he will never sit on this sofa three nights a week and call me pet names as he has been doing for the last two years."

"I am astonished."

"What tonight is going to burn all the old love letters in my chest of drawers."

"But why? Are you going to discard him?"

"Discard him? No, you goose. I am going to marry him!"—London Scraps.

## The Merry Minstrels.

"What an the difference, Mr. Bones, between a forger and a man playing poker who calls the other fellow's bet?"

"As usual, Sambo, I am at a loss to answer your query. What is the difference between a forger and a man playing poker who calls the other fellow's bet?"

"The first man raises a check, and the second one checks a raise."

During intermission, ladies and gentlemen, the orchestra will play that delightful melody entitled "FATHER, PLEASE BE CAREFUL; THE JANITOR'S GOT A GOUCH."—St. Louis Star.

## When Gold Looks Green.

Gold can be beaten out so thin that it allows light to pass through it, in which case, though it still appears brilliant yellow by reflected light, it is green as viewed by transmission—that is, by the light that passes through it. This curious effect can easily be observed by laying a piece of gold leaf upon a plate of glass and holding it between the eye and the light, when the gold will appear semi-transparent and of a leek green color.

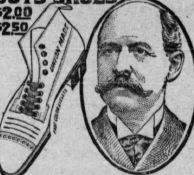
## Desirable Property

FOR SALE.

If you want a real bargain in a home in Barbourville, I will sell for \$2,000 if taken before March 1st, the property known as the George Lock, or Alex Herndon place, on Depot Street, consisting of a good four-room house, kitchen, etc. Barn and large garden, all kinds of fruit in full bearing. Lot, 179 foot front, 244 foot back; well fenced with iron and wire. A bargain if you apply in time. Call on or address, J. J. WILLIAMS, BARBOURVILLE, KY.

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COMMISSIONER'S SALE

KNOX CIRCUIT COURT.

M. P. Lewallen, Ex. Off.,

vs. Judgment

W. H. Sowders, Ex. Off.,

January Special Term, Jan. 21, 1910

By virtue of a judgment rendered at the January Special term of the Knox Circuit Court in favor of W. H. Hamlin, in the above styled case, the undersigned Master Commissioner will on Monday, February 28th 1910, it being County Court day, between the hours of 12 o'clock noon, and 3 o'clock, p. m. sell at public outcry to the highest and best bidder, at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Barbourville, Ky., on a credit of six months, of the following described property, to-wit:

A certain tract or parcel of land lying on the waters of Brush creek, in Knox County, Kentucky, and bounded as follows:

Beginning on a corner of A. A. Owens and J. E. Sowders, formerly, now A. H. Owens and Loney Boles; thence E. 4 1/2 N. 12 1/2 poles, with A. H. Owens line to a stone; thence a westward course 12 1/2 poles to the East Jello line; thence with the East Jello line to the beginning.

The sum to be raised is \$100.00 with legal interest from May 13, 1908, and the cost of this action.

The purchaser of the above described lands will be required to execute bond with approved security bearing interest from the date of sale and having the force and effect of a judgment, with a lien retained upon said lands until paid in full.

Given under my hand, this Feb. 5th 1910.

D. W. CLARK, Master Commissioner Knox Circuit Court.

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## PERSONALS

## Around Town

Did you get a valentine?

Mrs. Carrie Smith has grip.

Clarence Davis is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. L. B. Arvin is confined to her room with grip.

Joseph Newman has been on the sick list for the past week.

Mrs. Rachel Sowers, of Coalport, was in town Tuesday.

D. W. Clark made a business trip to Middlesboro last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Wilson returned Sunday from Cincinnati.

Prof. Harry Kusi is instructing a brass band at Straight Creek, Bell county.

Rev. Walter Brock, of London, has been called as the pastor of the Baptist Church here.

Mrs. Henry Mills was the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. H. McDonald, last Monday and Tuesday.

La Grippe has many of our citizens in its grasp and he is handling some of them rather roughly.

Mrs. T. B. Ashley, of Warren, visited her grand mother, Mrs. Sewell, the first of the week, returning home Tuesday afternoon.

Dr. J. P. Coffey has located in Pineville, and associated himself with E. G. Asher, in the Editorship of the Bell County Leader.

Charles Davis spent a couple of days the first of the week in Bell county, in the interest of the Insurance Company he represents.

Rev. L. B. Arvin has resigned as the pastor of the Baptist Church of this city, and has accepted a call to preach at the Baptist Church in Pineville.

Prof. L. F. Snow of Lexington was a visitor in our city last Wednesday, and paid our schools a pleasant visit. Prof. Snow is an enthusiastic school man.

A Dramatic Salad, spiced with amusing impersonations, to be served by Ernest Bruce Haswell, Feb. 28th, for the benefit of the Ladies' Aid of the M. E. Church.

J. H. Lawson and Will Detherage returned Tuesday from an extended trip to South Western Texas, where they went to inspect real estate. They will not locate there however.

S. P. Black, merchant at Crane Nest, was in town Wednesday and received a nice line stationery from this office. Mr. Black is one of Knox county's most enterprising merchants in the Crane Nest vicinity.

D. W. Clark, Master Commissioner, sold the Charleston coal property last Saturday in the case of C. W. Adams, Sons and Co. against J. T. Gray, and the property was bid in by John A. Black for \$8,100. This is said to be a splendid piece of property and embraces about 750 acres.

C. C. Byrley, of Four-Mile, was a pleasant caller at this office last Monday and handed us a silver certificate for \$4 and ordered the Advocate sent to his address for the next twelve months. Charley is a Knox county boy, who is making good, and he wants to have the best paper in the mountains to tell him all the news from his home town, so he orders the Mountain Advocate to get all the news all the time.

The Modern Woodmen of America is being built up here now by District Deputy, J. P. Mayfield, who has secured several new names to be balloted upon for membership. This order is one of the strongest in the United States, and carries an insurance feature that makes it especially adapted to those who are unable to carry old line insurance. Those who desire to take membership in this order should consult with Mr. Mayfield at once concerning the terms and conditions.

## LOCAL LOOM

## COLLISION

The fire hose carriage collided with the Advocate office and the telephone pole yesterday morning just before day. No damage except a close call on our office, a bump on the phone pole and the amputation of a portion of the water spout.

## OUR TOWN CLOCK.

What is the matter with the Court house clock? Since the new administration it has been standing idle and dumb. The taxpayers of Knox county have invested quite a sum of money in this town clock and some one should see that it is kept running and that the time is correct. We hope this matter will be looked after at once.

## THE RIGHT SPIRIT.

Apropos of Valentine's day, a passenger on the Bermudian said: "Mark Twain once told us, in a little Valentine day speech on this boat, of an Irish wooer who had the right Valentine spirit. Acceptance or rejection he could take with equal grace. "Will you be my valentine?" he said on February 14 to the girl he loved. "No," she replied. "I am another's." He heaved a sigh and said: "Shure, thin, darlin', I wish ye was twins, so that I could have at laste the half of ye."

## New Way to Treat Cows

In Michig. in Mrs. Carolina Bartlett Crane has suggested that dairymen: "Should bathe their cows every day and wipe them off with a Turkish towel" in order to have pure milk. Why not provide a crowd for the calves, dress the cows in Mother Hubbards, give them a spring mattress to sleep on and hire a boy to keep the flies off while they take their afternoon repose.

## A LECTURE.

President Hubert S. Shearin, Ph.D., of Hamilton College, is expected in Barbourville within the next few weeks. The occasion of his visit being a lecture, which will be delivered in the chapel of Union College. It is not known exactly on what date he will come, but it is thought it will be either February 25th or March 4th. The subject will be of one interest to the general public as well as to those engaged in acquiring a higher education.

Dr. Shearin is a man of rare scholarship and possesses besides, a personality, splendidly adapted to the position he holds. He is a pleasing speaker, having a ready wit and ability to ingratiate himself with his audience.

The date and subject of the lecture will be published later.

## HAMLET TO DATE

To beel, or not to beel? That is the question. Whether 'tis nobler in the human corporation to suffer the stings and gnawings of unrequited appetite, or by taking pledge against the food price boosters end them. To sniff, to taste, to chew, to gorge—steak, chop, roast, tongue, ribs, veiners—perhaps to dream! Aye, there's the grub! For in that dream what vision may come—twelve-cent hamburger, ten-cent tenderloin, eight-cent liver—to harrow up our starved imaginations! Ah, 'tis the price that makes cowards of us all, inclining us rather to accept the vegetable menu, 'e'en though in dreams we rouse such indigestive pangs as sleep may conjure from the baseless fabric of a phantom ham.

## LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN.

One 18 ft. launch with 5 horse power Detroit gasoline engine, on the Cumberland river. \$10 reward if returned to James Hinkle, Barbourville, Ky., and no questions asked. F 18 ft

## CORRESPONDENCE.

By our Special News Service.

## DeWitt

Making cross ties is all the go at this place.

Hurrah for Hon. Caleb Powers, says the boys at this place.

Isaac Horn is making ready for his trip to Oklahoma with his family.

Theo Lester and John Spurlock are courting the girls here to a finish.

Matt Broughton is our Sunday School Supt. and is well liked by all the students.

Brite Williamson is laying the foundation for his new business and dwelling house.

Some of our farmers are preparing for their crops the coming season by plowing their ground.

Jas. Spurlock, the saw mill man, reports quite a dangerous accident at his mill the other day.

Theo Lester visited his buddy, John Spurlock, Saturday night and talked over their travels in the west.

One of our DeWitt girls baked a nice cake for her intended husband which had the letters J. S. on top in red imperial.

It keeps Matt Broughton and Thomas Warren busy looking after their children and keeping them out of the snow.

DeWitt is on the boom. We have more snow here than usual with good prospects for more before the winter is over.

The post card business is one of the young folks' special attentions at DeWitt. They keep Uncle Sam busy carrying them.

We are in special need of a good road and a bridge up here to travel over and ask that Judge Stamper send us one of such as we elected him for that purpose.

We are having fine singing school at the Methodist church. Friday at 12 o'clock while they were singing the evil spirit came in the house and raised a little hell with some of the students and caused the bell to stop ringing until Monday, Feb. 14.

## Wilton

Marsh Mahan was here Monday.

R. O. Austin was in Corbin Sunday.

John Engle, of Indian creek, was in Wilton Tuesday.

Frank Baker, of Barbourville, was here Tuesday.

Tom Fore was in Woodline Tuesday on business.

Cam and Fred Preston were in Corbin Thursday.

Dr. Jenkins attended court in Barbourville Monday.

Rev. St. Clair, of Lynchburg, Va., preached in Wilton Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Lindsay McBrayer was in Corbin Tuesday having some dental work done.

Harry Shoder, representing the National Candy Co., of Louisville, was here Monday.

Matt Powers, of Graves, representing the Singer Sewing Machine Co., was here Monday and Tuesday.

## REDUCTION IN TAPS

As a special inducement to patrons wanting to take water, the water company will make taps until June 1st, 1910 at \$7.50.

## TIES WANTED

We want 500,000 7x8x8 1/2 white and chestnut oak cross ties—will advance money on ties at mill.

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## The Fate of the Onida.

One of the most extraordinary catastrophes that have befallen vessels of the United States destroyed the ship of war Onida in 1893. She was bound homeward, with a jolly ship's company, eager to see wives and sweethearts and native land once more, when put far out of port she was struck by the British steamer Bombay coming in. The stem of the Onida was slaking rapidly, and guns of Onida were immediately fired, but the Bombay steamed on her way and left the vessel to her doom. She went down, and all but one or two of her crew were drowned. The captain of the Bombay gave no other reason for his conduct than that he had Lady Eyre, the wife of a distinguished British satrap, on board and did not wish to disturb her nerves with scenes of shipwreck. She was noticed when she reached Yokohama, dismissed from the service, and finally taboed from that time on and died in disgrace a year or two later.

## Where Hypnotism Failed.

When Dr. Mayne Appleton returned recently from a party where the influence of several minds over one had been the evening's entertainment and told her mother how six girls, with their minds bent on one thought, had made a man stand on his head, another man at their silent command had tried on a woman's hat and another had tried to get water with a fork. It put a suggestion into Mrs. Lyander John Appleton's brain. That evening when Lyander John came home his wife and four daughters sat in a circle with their hands covering their faces and their heads bowed. To all his inquiries they said nothing, and at last, fearing they had gone mad, he sent for the doctor. "We concentrated our minds on the thought that Lyander John must give us \$5 each, and instead of that we have a doctor bill to pay," sobbed Mrs. Appleton. "And she said it would be particularly easy to work if the man's mind was a blank."—Arlborough Globe.

## To Get His Money's Worth.

In a village near Edinburgh there lived an old baker and his son. Their trade was in a flourishing condition, but unfortunately in the midst of their prosperity the old man, who had once been a great drinker, turned insane. The son, who was renowned for his sense, was forced to put him in a lunatic asylum and, according to the terms of the establishment, to pay a fee for three months in advance, amounting to \$200. The old man was securely in a fortnight, however, when he died. The son, thinking to save an action against the establishment on the theory of the ass being turned in, unused money, inquired of an old lawyer who was a bit of a wag whether he thought it would be prudent to try to recover the money or not. The chip of the law, putting on a grave face, replied seriously, "I'de no think it wd be best to gaug and put in the rest o' the time yerse!"

## He Saw a Great Light.

Wracks on the coast of Cornwall, England, were once a source of revenue to the natives. A writer says that in the local dialect "the folks on the coast take their children to say in their prayers night times, 'God bless father an' mother an' send a ship to shore wery mornin'." The Cornish folk were great smugglers too. The Rev. R. S. Hawker had in his service as many of all work old Tristram Penrice, the last of the smugglers. One day he made to the vicar this notable confession: "Well, sir, I do think, when I come to look back and to consider what lives we used to live—drunk all night and idle all day, cursing, swearing, fighting, gambling, lying, and always prepared to shoot the gauger—I do truly believe, sir, we surely was in sin!"

## Brought Down the House.

On one occasion, when Arthur Roberts, the English actor, was performing the part of Captain Crossree in the farquhar of "Black Peter Susan" a misgiver he converted an awkward contretemps into a hit. In one of the scenes Crossree entered supposed to be infuriated and staggered about the stage. In doing so Mr. Roberts accidentally came in contact with the scenery of the lan, bringing the whole set down. The curtain had to be lowered, and the revulsion comedian came to the front and said, "Ladies and gentlemen, you see when we come to Glasgow we always bring down the house."

## The Generous Barber.

"Here, I say! Be a bit more careful with that razor. That's the second time you've cut me!"

"Well, well, so it is. But there! I always deduct a halfpenny for every cut. Why, it's nothing for a man to go out of here having won fourpence off me!"—London Tatler.

## Might Be on One's Nose.

"Don't get down in the mouth, old man," said the optimist. "Look on the bright side of things."

"That's all very well," mournfully replied the sufferer, "but what is the bright side of a gumboil?"

## Belated.

"I understand that Prattman has come to the conclusion to contest his wife's will."

"Well, what is there outrageous about that? She's dead, isn't she?"

## The Touch of Fortune.

"What do you think, my dear? Such luck! We've got a pair in an hour."

"Yes; we're going to Pastures. My husband has just been bitten by a mad dog."—Bon Vivant.

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It is so great a positive triumph of close buying, immense value giving, that no person in this whole section can afford to do otherwise than to patronize it to the fullest extent.

The sale lasts but a short time. Buy early. Look for the yellow cut price tickets.

Every one of these closing out lots has been tagged with record breaking low prices, and are designated during the sale by the big yellow tickets which mean "Cut Price." Throughout the entire store in every department and at every counter you'll find these yellow tickets indicating cut prices. No sale of like importance has ever been known here. It will pay you to come hundred miles to avail yourself of these bargains. Only the sick and the bedridden can afford to stay away from this store during this sale, and even they should send some kind and able friend to reap these gigantic savings.

Best grade conestoga 60-in, feather ticking, 35c; Best grade 10c fancy dress gingham, 35c; Extra large and heavy bleached bath towels, 9c; Half hemmed bleached damask napkins, 4c; Men's good heavy work shirts, 23c; Men's best 50c work shirts, 39c; Fine all silk taffeta ribbons, 10c kind, 4c; Ladies' hose, best 10c kind, 7c; Ladies' plain black and fancy hose, 15c and 19c kind, for 11c; Men's fine black and fancy hose, also heavy grey work sock, 8c; Large paper, full count, English pins 1c; Big lot fine embroidery edges and insertions, worth to 10c yard, for 4c; Fine embroideries, worth 12 1/2c and 15c, for 7c; Fine embroideries including corset cover edges, 10c; Good unbleached domestic 4 Heavy full bleached, yard wide domestic 8 1/2c; Mill remnants of sheer india linings, 10c; Splendid quality hickory shirtings, 9c; Best grade cotton plaid shirtings, 5c; Staple prints and calicoes, 5c.

Fine apron check gingham, 5c; Mill remnants of dress gingham, 5c; Good heavy absorbent towel crash 5c; Extra heavy straw bed ticking 9c; Large cabinet shell hair pins 1c; Big lot of ladies' 5c handkerchiefs 2c; Full 50-yd. spools sewing silk in this sale, 2 for 5c; Fresh water pearl buttons, per dozen, 1c; Fine quality pearl buttons, per dozen, 3c; Regular 10c and 15c quality pearl button, 5c.

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## UNITED STATES MARSHAL'S SALE.

CONTINUED TO FEBRUARY 28, 1910.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF KENTUCKY.

Public Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias (or execution) No. 612, dated 12th of January, A. D. 1910, and issued out of the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Kentucky, on a Sale Bond Executed in said Court on the 10th day of September, A. D. 1908, in favor of J. M. Robison, Trustee in Bankruptcy, for Lynn Camp Coal Company and against J. W. Parker, Mary E. Parker, J. T. Gray, John W. Helton, W. E. Parker, W. R. Parker, B. E. Parker, J. H. Mitchell and John J. Hagan, I have on this 31st day of January, A. D. 1910, levied upon the following described real estate and personal property, situated in the county of Knox and State of Kentucky, to-wit:

The entire mining plant which is known as the Lynn Camp Coal Company and which was until recently, operated by the Parker-Gray Coal Company. All of the real and personal property, which is as follows:—

1.—One tract of land being the tract of land conveyed by Joseph Engle and his wife to the Lynn Camp Coal Company on February 22nd, 1906, said deed is of record in the Knox County Court Clerk's office, in deed book 16, page 118.

2.—The tract of land conveyed by Joseph Bradford and wife to the Lynn Camp Coal Company on February 22nd, 1906, said deed of conveyance is of record in the County Court Clerk's office of Knox county in deed book No. 12, page 386.

3.—The tract of land conveyed by J. H. Childers and wife to the Lynn Camp Coal Company on the 21st day of October, 1907, said deed is of record in the County Court Clerk's office of Knox county, in deed book No. 12, page 610.

4.—The leasehold, and lease rights, in the lease executed by J. C. Sproules and wife and W. J. Campbell and wife to S. F. Rock on the 18th day of July, 1905, and assigned to S. F. Rock to Lynn Camp Coal Company on August 15th, 1905. Said lease is of record in Knox County Clerk's office, in deed book No. 10, page 500 and 504. This lease covers about 600 acres of coal lands.

5.—The Railroad and Railroad rights, the right of way, in the Railroad leading from the Cumberland Valley Division of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad to the Lynn Camp Coal Company mines.

6.—Office fixtures, and safe.

7.—Mining equipments, "T" rails, Mining cars, boilers, engines, scales, screens, in fact the complete mining plant of the Lynn Camp Coal Company.

I will accordingly offer said real estate and personal property for sale at public venue to the highest and best bidder, on the 28th day of February, A. D. 1910, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 3 o'clock p. m., on a credit of 6 months for the real property, and on a credit of three months for the personal property, with approved security.

Said sale will be had at the front door of the Court House, in Barbourville, Knox county, Ky., the date of sale, to-wit: 28th day of February, A. D. 1910, being the first day of the regular term of the Knox County Court.

The sum to be raised by this sale is \$7,283.34 together with interest and cost, and a sufficiency of the foregoing described property for the purpose will be sold.

This 31st day of Jan., 1910.  
**S. G. SHARP,**  
U. S. MARSHAL,  
Eastern District of Kentucky.

**S. VanBeber,**  
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**Tobacco Raisers Notice.**

Any farmer in Knox or adjoining Counties that contemplates raising a crop of tobacco this year, can get free, a fine grade of tobacco seeds and a circular of instructions as to how to cultivate tobacco, and the kind to raise, by calling at my office or writing me at Barbourville, Ky.

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Mr. Milton Sealf was in Barbourville Monday.

M. A. Bargo and D. W. Slusher have gone in partnership in the merchandise business.

Will Moore was here from Straight Creek Sunday.

Miss Georgia Hunter is home from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Minnie Lingar, at Coalport.

D. W. Slusher was in Barbourville Monday.

Miss Myrtle Goodin is home from a visit to her cousin at Four Mile.

Henry Baker, B. F. Hawn and Miss Lucy Gray were the guests of Miss Mollie Sealf Sunday.

Mrs. Ida Epperson entertained a

number of friends Saturday night.

A J. Slusher is home this week from Middletown.

Clell Gray returned to his school at Williamsburg Monday.

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